

PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yang et al. Art Unit: 2615
Application No.: 09/867,736 Examiner: Corey P. Chau
Filed : May 30, 2001
For : AUDIO POST PROCESSING IN DVD, DTV AND OTHER AUDIO
VISUAL PRODUCTS

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT/EXTENSION OF TIME TRANSMITTAL

1. **Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Non-Final Rejection.**
2. Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
 Enclosed is a verified statement to establish Small Entity status
 Other than a Small Entity
3. **The fee has been calculated as shown below:**

CALCULATION OF FEES

Fee:	Number of Claims After Amendment:		Previously Paid For:	No. Extra:	At Rate:	Amount:
Total Claims	29	minus	29	0	\$50	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	minus	5	0	\$200	\$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					\$360	\$0.00
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIMS:						\$0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

4. Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____ for additional claims.
 Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$_____.
 Please charge Credit Card per Electronic Patent Application Fee Transmittal attached.

5. **The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.**

(a) **Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:**

Ext. Mos.	Large entity	Small entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$ 510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

Extension fee due with this request:

\$120.00

Method of Payment: **Please charge Credit Card \$120.00 per Electronic Patent Application Fee Transmittal attached.**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

An extension for ____ months has already been secured and the fee paid thereof of \$____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. Extension fee due with this request \$____.

OR

(b) Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

6. **If any additional fee for claims or extension of time is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.**

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosed:
Transmittal containing Certificate of Electronic Transmission (2 pages)
Amendment After Non-Final Rejection (13 pages)
Replacement Drawing Sheet for Fig. 4 (1 page)
Electronic Patent Application Fee Transmittal (2 pages)